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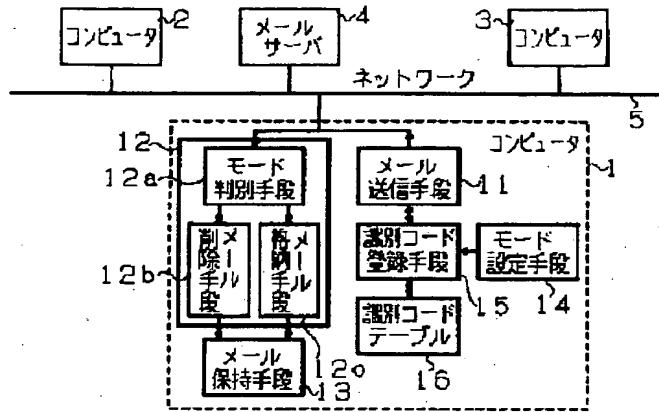
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**TITLE : MAIL TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING EQUIPMENT**



**ABSTRACT :** PURPOSE: To cancel or correct a sent mail even after a computer at a destination takes the mail out of a mail server.

**CONSTITUTION:** At the time of mail transmission, a mode setting means 14 sets one of a new mail, a cancel mail, and a correction mail mode. A mail sending means 11 adds the mode set by the mode setting means 14 and a mail ID to a main body and sends them. When the mail is received, on the other hand, a main receiving means 12 checks the mode of the received mail and when the received mail is a new mail, the new mail is held in a mail holding means 13. When a cancel mail is received, the mail having the mail ID that the mail indicates is deleted from the mail holding means 13. When the correction mail is received, the mail having the mail ID that the mail indicates is deleted from the mail holding means 13 and the correction mail is held in the mail holding means 13.

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